Conversion of Tribals to Christianity

976. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that in the drought affected tribal areas of Madhya Pradesh Christian Missionaries in the garb of relief measures are forcing the Tribals to convert their religion to Christianity;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) what remedial action Government have taken in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M. M. JACOB) (a) to (c) Facts are being collected from the State Government.

Foreigners in Delhi

977. SHRI TINDIVANAM G. VENKATRAMAN: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of foreigners residing in Delhi with valid visas;

(b) the number of foreigners residing in Delhi with Indian citizenship; and

(c) when the last check up was made for verification of foreign nationals living in Delhi?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M. M. JACOB): (a) 15647.

(b) A foreigner who obtains Indian citizenship cannot be termed as foreign national subsequently.

(c) State Governments/Union Territory Administrations have instructions to check and monitor the stay and movement of foreign nationals under the laws relating to foreigners.

Visit of Home Minister to Jammu and Kashmir

978. SHRI KRISHAN LAL SHARMA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether his visit to Rajouri and Poonch sectors in Jammu and Kashmir on 18-4-92 was private or official;

(b) the number of defence aircraft and helicopters deployed in this visit from Delhi to Jammu and further to Rajouri and Poonch and back and the expenditure incurred hereon; and

(c) the names of the persons who accompanied him on this visit?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M. M. JACOB): (a) to (c) The tour of the Union Home Minister to Rajouri and Poonch was official. IAF aircraft was not used for transportation from Delhi to Jammu. However, IAF helicopters were used for visiting the border areas including Rajouri and Poonch, and back to Jammu, the payment for which will be made on receipt of the bill from the Ministry of Defence. The Union Home Minister, during his visit to the border areas, was accompanied by the Governor of Jammu & Kashmir, officials of the Central and State Government amongst others.

छंटनी किए गए जनगणना कार्य से जुड़े कर्मचारियों का पुनर्नियोजन

979. श्री अनन्तराम जायसवाल : क्या गृह मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) 1981-82 और 1991-92 की जनगणनाओं की समाप्ति पर अलग-अलग राज्य वार कितने-कितने कर्मचारियों की छंटनी की गई थी,